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FRISCO POLICE STEPPING UP DWI PATROLS

FRISCO, TX – The <u>Frisco Police Department</u> will be staffing extra officers this holiday weekend in an effort to prevent intoxicated drivers from driving on Frisco's streets. The police department's zero tolerance approach to drunk driving is most evident during holiday periods such as New Year's Eve.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the State of Texas provide funding to the Frisco Police Department through the Special Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP) to staff additional officers whose primary duty is to perform traffic enforcement. In this case, the STEP grant is being used to staff two additional police officers during nighttime hours for DWI patrols throughout the city.

If you are going to be enjoying alcoholic beverages this holiday weekend, please drink responsibly and designate a driver or call a taxi.

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